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MEMORANDUM FOR: Project Director of Materiel

SUBJECT

: Corrective Action on U.R.s

- I. I have noted two summaries you have circulated of corrective action to be taken in response to UR's, the longer one of which was dated I November. In the majority of cases this summary analyzes the malfunctioning as an "isolated failure". I have no reason to question the validity of this judgment but I am interested to learn by what procedure the cause of the failure is analyzed.
- 2. Am I correct in believing that your summary sets forth the views of the relevant supplier? If so, are you satisfied that the supplier in all cases arrived at this conclusion on the basis of reasonably adequate information and careful consideration of that information so that more fundamental difficulties are not being overlooked?

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Project Director

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